

## AMUSEMENTS

[Special Courier Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, July 28.—The only thing in Gotham this week that has the slightest flavor of newness is a revival of "The Mascot" at Palmer's, and the pretty melodies heard on Broadway for the first time more than twelve years ago, seems to charm the audience as much now as then. The "Gobble Gobble" song was certainly never rendered better than by Miss Camille D'Arville and Mr. Prunette, the first making a veritable triumph as Bettina. As a whole the performance was fair, although the management has done nothing—the costumes being but a doubtful attempt and the scenery is the old stock belonging to the house. Mr. Henry E. Dixey played Lorenzo, making it a light comedy part, and his old friends have rallied around him in force as usual shouting success, but in truth Mr. Dixey is not a great nor even a good Lorenzo. While the front doors of all metropolitan theatres are closed, the stage doors are swinging pretty lively on their hinges, and on the stage of each and every one of them companies are being rehearsed for the coming season which begins in a week or two. "A Trip to Chinatown," which is to remain at the Madison Square probably for another season, is doing excellently well, in fact as well as in winter, for every seat is sold at each performance, and what more can a manager want? Its great success will keep Mr. Hoy's newest success, "A Temperance Town," out of the city and Gothamites may not see it for another season, and that is about the only thing to be regretted about the phenomenal run of the "Trip." At the Garden "Sinbad" defies both heat and humidity and is doing a rattling business.

Notwithstanding the uncomfortable weather on Monday evening, the Lansing theatre was well filled with an audience comprising a very desirable class of our citizens, to see Nellie McHenry in "A Night at the Circus." The theatre was, however, quite pleasant, the cooling apparatus having done valiant service, and the play was greatly enjoyed by all. "A Night at the Circus" has a plot, and although not clearly defined is sufficiently strong to uphold a clever and jolly little romantic story, and the actors make all out of it that any one could. Nellie McHenry, the life of the play, is a veritable show box, full of fun, overflowing, and it may be said, with credit too, that she has now idolized herself more than ever in the minds of the amusement loving people. In the cast are several very fine specialists that did some wonderful work, notably Thomas O'Brien in contortional acts and Mr. B. P. Grinnell, who controls a splendid tenor voice and does some clever work with his head, hands and legs. The singing generally was sprightly and the work of every artist was liberally applauded. Lincoln enjoyed "A Night at the Circus" and had the weather more propitious the beautiful theatre would have been crowded. Under the circumstances, however, it was a good sized audience and all hands were well satisfied.

Twenty years ago there were two kinds of professional dancing. One was of the court, the other of the gutter; one of high and ancient lineage, the other of obscure and servile origin; one belonged to the theatre and appealed to society, the other flourished at the music hall and entertained its beery patrons. In other words there was the classical dance of the academy—the ballet—and there was the clog-dance, which is believed to have originated in the factories of Lancashire. The modern skirt-dance, about which we all seem to have gone more or less crazy, is the result of union between them, and the hand, or rather the foot, which brought them together was that of Mr. John D'Auban. This gentleman, an Englishman, was brought up in the straightest sex of the Pharisæes—but is to say, in the strictest school of the academy. But he happened to be a man of ideas and early in life conceived the notion of turning his accomplishment to a better purpose than could be done in the regular ballet. With the help of his sister he brought out a song and dance sketch called "Ain't She Very Shy?" in which classical means were adopted to grotesque ends, and thus the modern skirt dance was begun.

Prominent among the passengers who arrived on the steamer Aller, Friday of last week, was dainty Fanny Rice, the jolly little comedienne, just returned from her European trip. Miss Rice during her stay in England was the guest of Col. and Mrs. North, the millionaire nitrate king; Gereldine Umar, Miss Edith Chester, Lord and Lady Brooke, also the Lyric and Albany clubs entertained her handsomely. Her singing and recitations struck the keynote of popularity at the fashionable receptions she attended. She received a couple of very fine offers for a season in England. Miss Rice brought back with her a lot of novelties and bright catchy songs and music that will be heard for the first time in this country in her musical comedy "A Jolly Surprise."

## A THEATRICAL POTPOURRI.

John D. Gilbert has written an operatic comedietta called "State Capital."—E. E. Rice arrived at San Francisco July 7, bound for Boston.—Hilary Bell, the artist, critic and special American correspondent of the London Era, is putting the finishing touches on a comedy, illustrative of metropolitan social life, entitled "Frivolity's Fad."—Alex Comstock of "High Roller" fame has become a lease of Niblo's Garden. It will become a low combination house.—The Irish comedian, Mr. Joseph Callahan, whose clever work in the "Soudan" is well remembered, has purchased the rights and title of "Shamus O'Brien."—James A. Bailey, the circus man, has brought suit against George W. Lederer for \$50,000 for spreading false reports and sending a fake telegram about Mr. Bailey being insane.—Bessie Holloway, the music singer, has brought the noble lord, the Duke of Manchester, to terms. His nibs is to pay \$500 spot cash, right away quick, and \$100 yearly for the rest of his or her life.—De Wolf Hopper sailed for this country Wednesday. He spent last week at Paris, and his plans contemplated a visit at Brussels and a sail up the Rhine.—M. B. Leavitt sailed for Europe Saturday.—Marshall P. Wilder is again in New York.—A new play called "A Fatal Drug" will soon be put on the road.—"Father and Son" is the name of a new play being written by Henry Arthur Jones, author of "Judah," to be produced by Dan Frohman.—Augustin Daly's theatre will be reopened in October with an elaborate revival of "The Tempest." Miss Rehan will play Miranda.—Edward P. Mawson's play is entitled "New Orleans."—"Wicklow," the drama which Lawyer Price wrote for Andrew Mack, has been rechristened and will be known as "Irish Loyalty."—Henry Guy Carlton is polishing "A Golden Fool," which he has written for Nat Goodwin. The plot is dramatic, but the star will have a strong comedy role.—The report that Fred Marsden wrote "Larry the Lord" is not true.—Pretty Miss Lulu Klein is taking dips in the broad,

blue Atlantic at Long Branch when she is not writing on her play.—Blanche Marsden has copyrighted a new play called "Dan O'Hara." It is a continuation of Fred Marsden's "Kerry Gow."—E. D. Price of "Miss Helyett" is resting in New York.—Fay Templeton will probably take Kate Castleton's part in "The Dazzler" next season.

## THEATRICAL CHAT.

DeWolf Hopper sailed for home the 20th of July.

Charles Coghlan will return from England next week.

Barnum's circus will be in Lincoln, September 10.

Fanny Rice has returned to New York from her trip abroad.

Jenny Joyce has gone to England to appear at the Alhambra.

James T. Powers and his wife, Rachel Booth, have returned from Europe.

Billy Crane is looking for an agent and all the agents are looking for Billy Crane.

Georgia Cayan has reached Japan and writes that she likes Yokohama and Tokio immensely.

Edith Kenward is to play Georgia Drew Barrymore's part in "Mr. Wilkins's Widows" next season.

Abbey and Grau's next opera season will begin at the New York Metropolitan opera house November 21.

The trouble at Homestead has been dramatized in a four act melodrama called "Monongahela, or Homestead in '92."

And now gossip says that Richard Mansfield and Beatrice Cameron will not go to Europe to be married as Mansfield said he would.

Edwin Booth has left the Players' club for the summer. He goes first to Narragansett Pier and then visits Joseph Jefferson at Buzzards Bay.

There will be but few attractions at the Lansing during August, viz.: "Little Tiptett," "Cupid's Chariot," "Tuxedo," "Frank Daniels" and "Ole Oleson."

Duncan Harrison's "Little Tiptett Co." is being rehearsed in New York daily. The company begins its season at Omaha Sunday and then goes to San Francisco.

What wonderful things they do tell about Patti. The last is that she has a parrot, Cookie, "who accompanies her songs and imitates her rousings, further embellished with quite remarkable floriture of his own."

Albert Brunning will not star this season as reported. He will accept one of many offers he has for leading business this season, and next season he goes out with a new romantic drama. Work on his starring tour for the season of 93-94 has already begun, however.

Here is a list of plays which have had very long runs in New York: "Adonis" ran 600 nights and "Humpty Dumpty" and "Hazel Kirke" nearly 500 nights each. "The Two Orphans" comes next with 325 nights, and then "A Trip to China Town," which up to date has 265 consecutive performances to its credit.

It is often amusing to hear actors say that they have made a great hit in some part, as if to them and them alone was due the success of the performance. The manner in which plays are written nowadays leaves very little for the actor to accomplish, for in nine cases out of ten the clap-trap pathos and rancid humor of the writer have much, many times much more to do with the success of the piece than has the ability of the actor.

Fanny Rice has secured a new musical comedy entitled "Molly," which she will produce some time during the coming season. She is to play the part of a pretty and quick witted Irish girl, a sort of a female Hanly Andy, who gets herself and the other characters in the play in the most charming complications owing to her innocence and willingness to help all whom she finds in trouble. A London exchange says that Miss Rice made a special trip to Ireland to kiss the blarney stone, and she now possesses the cutest little Irish dialect imaginable.

## PROF. GENTRY'S PARADOX.

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Director Aschmann of the Military band has been hard at work during the week making arrangements for the annual picnic of that celebrated organization, which will be given under the auspices of the Germania Mannaerchor of this city. A grand musical program of six numbers will be rendered during the afternoon. Dancing will be indulged in both afternoon and evening, while fine boating, swimming and delicious refreshments will also be enjoyable features of the day. Round trip tickets for this occasion, including admission to Cushman park, will be only 25 cents. Trains leave B. & M. depot at 2, 3, and 4:30 p. m., returning at 5, 6 and 9 p. m.

## HARRISON &amp; BELL'S COMEDIANS.

The Lansing theatre will present its first attraction for August on Thursday evening, when Duncan Harrison's latest novelty, "Little Tiptett" will be introduced for the first time in Lincoln. Philadelphia and Boston papers speak in glowing terms of the piece and we append a few lines from a notice given in the Times of the former city: "It is a farcical comedy by the author of 'Wilkin-



son's Widows," "The Nominee," and others of the prevailing favorites, and likewise, throughout shows the marks of similar originality and general dramatic strength. The plot in some of its main lines is reminiscent of Jane. The old complications of the divorced partners, Newton and Tiptett; the endless game of cross purposes that is played in the mistakes with their present wives, and the interesting impersonations of the babies involved, admirably rendered by a phomene-

nal pair of infants, furnish a combination that is as thoroughly put together as it is delightfully performed." The seat sale commences Tuesday.

## THE PEOPLE'S POPULAR RESORT.

There seems to be no end to the crowds that go out to enjoy the cool breezes and invigorating air at Lincoln park, and every evening this week except when the rain-maker interfered, the gatherings were large and of the most desirable classes. It has become pretty thoroughly understood among the tough element, the thugs and loose characters, that Lincoln park is no place for them and Manager Hickey is to be congratulated upon his success in ridding the place of that element. Of course, occasionally one of these uninvited guests will show themselves, as they will anywhere, matters not how closely guarded, but they don't remain long after Mr. Hickey is made aware of their presence.

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The opera at the park theatre is of course the big card, and the Boston Opera Company continues to play to either large or packed houses. Olivette was excellently put on the first four days of the week and since Thursday the opera "Said Pasha" has been running, and will be seen for the last time tonight. Commencing tomorrow (Sunday) evening an elaborate production of H. M. S. Pinero will be staged, and the entire cast will be seen to excellent advantage. The company is especially good in this favorite opera and a most enjoyable time is guaranteed all. Special costumes and stage trappings will be seen and the opera given a realistic as well as a brilliant musical presentation.

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In the District Court of Lancaster County, Nebraska.

Robert Peterson, plaintiff, vs. Mary E. Goodrich, Geo. D. Goodrich and Oliver Davis, defendants.

Mary E. Goodrich and George D. Goodrich defendants will take notice that on the 13th day of July 1892, Robert Peterson plaintiff herein filed his petition in the District Court of Lancaster County Nebraska against said defendant the object and prayer of which is to enforce the specific performance of a contract made by defendants by their agent William H. Clark to plaintiff for the conveyance of lot six in block twelve in South Lincoln Lancaster County Nebraska for the court to require them to receive from the plaintiff the sum of \$1,500, together with the sum of \$100 paid by one William H. Clark agent of the defendants, and that out of said \$1,500 the plaintiff asks that there may be deducted the sum of \$1,000 out of said sum of \$1,500 and interest to be paid on the mortgage running to one Kate Brinard, and that defendants be compelled to execute and deliver to plaintiff a deed of said premises with covenants of general warranty, and that defendants be put out of possession of said premises and plaintiff be put into possession thereof, and for such further relief as justice and equity may require.

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